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176, which went up the Supreme Court of Michigan, the point was raised for the first time on the appeal that the bill was multifarious. The court replied that the proper method of making this objection was on demurrer to the bill before the expense of reference and testimony were incurred; and inasmuch as after full hearing they could now do complete justice to all parties they felt free to disregard this objection.

R. P. BRADFORD.

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## BOOKS RECEIVED.

[All legal works received before the first of the month will be reviewed in the issue of the month following. Books should be sent to William Draper Lewis, Esq., 738 Drexel Building, Philadelphia, Pa.]

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**HAND-BOOK OF CRIMINAL LAW.** By WM. L. CLARK, JR. St. Paul, Minn. : West Publishing Co., 1894.

**A TREATISE ON THE LAW OF MORTGAGES OF REAL PROPERTY.** By LEONARD JONES. In Two Volumes. Fifth Edition. Boston : Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1894.

**THE LAW RELATING TO REAL ESTATE BROKERS**, as decided by the American Courts. By STEWART RAPALJE. New York : Baker, Voorhis & Co., 1893.

**DIGEST OF INSURANCE CASES**, for the year ending October 31, 1893. By JOHN FINCH. Indianapolis : The Rough Notes Co., 1893.

**CASES ON CONSTITUTIONAL LAW**, with Notes. Part II. By JAMES BRADLEY THAYER, LL.D. Cambridge : Charles W. Sever, 1894.

**THE ANNUAL ON THE LAW OF REAL PROPERTY.** Edited by T. E. and E. E. BALLARD. Vol. II, 1893. Crawfordsville, Ind. : The Ballard Publishing Co., 1893.

**A TREATISE ON THE LAW OF BUILDING AND BUILDINGS**, especially referring to Building Contracts, Leases, Easements and Liens, containing also Various Forms Useful in Building Operations, a Glossary of Words and Terms commonly used by Builders and Artisans, and a Digest of the Leading Decisions on Building Contracts and Leases in the United States. By A. PARLETT LLOYD. Second Edition. Revised and enlarged. Boston and New York : Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1894.

**A TREATISE ON THE LAW OF MORTGAGES ON PERSONAL PROPERTY.** By LEONARD A. JONES. Fourth Edition. Revised and enlarged. Boston and New York : Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1894.

**AMERICAN RAILROAD AND CORPORATION REPORTS**, being a Collection of the Decisions of the Courts of Last Resort in the United States pertaining to the Law of Railroads, Private and Municipal

Corporations, including the Law of Insurance, Banking, Carriers, Telegraph and Telephone Companies, Building and Loan Associations, etc. Edited and annotated by JOHN LEWIS. Vol. VII. Chicago : E. B. Myers & Co., 1893.

THE BANKING QUESTION IN THE UNITED STATES, Report of the meeting held on January 12, 1893, under the auspices of the American Academy of Political and Social Science. Addresses by HORACE WHITE, MICHAEL D. HARTER, A. B. HEPBURN, J. H. WALKER, HENRY BACON and W. L. TRENHOLM. Philadelphia : American Academy of Political and Social Science, 1894.

THE BENCH AND BAR OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, including Biographical Notices of Deceased Judges of the Highest Courts and Lawyers of the Province and State, and a List of Names of those now living. By CARL H. BELL. Boston and New York : Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1894.

THE LAW OF PLEADING UNDER THE CODES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. By EDWIN E. BRYANT. Boston : Little, Brown & Co., 1894.

AN ESSAY ON THE LAW RELATING TO TELEGRAPH COMPANIES. By EDWARD BROOKS, JR., of the Philadelphia Bar. Lancaster : Wickerham Printing Co., 1893.

POCKET MANUAL OF RULES OF ORDER FOR DELIBERATIVE ASSEMBLIES. By Lieut.-Colonel HENRY M. ROBERT. Chicago : S. C. Griggs & Co., 1894.

THE LAW OF EXPERT TESTIMONY. By EVAN B. LEWIS. Philadelphia : Rees Welsh & Co., 1894.

A MANUAL OF THE STUDY OF DOCUMENTS TO ESTABLISH THE INDIVIDUAL CHARACTER OF HANDWRITING AND TO DETECT FRAUD AND PERJURY, including Several New Methods of Research. By PERSIFOR FRAZER. Illustrated. Philadelphia : J. B. Lippincott Company, 1894.

TREATIES AND TOPICS IN AMERICAN DIPLOMACY. By FREEMAN SNOW, Ph.D., LL.B., Harvard University. Boston : The Boston Book Company, 1894.

A TREATISE ON DISPUTED HANDWRITING AND THE DETERMINATION OF GENUINE FROM FORGED SIGNATURES, THE CHARACTER AND COMPOSITION OF INKS, ETC. By WILLIAM E. HAGAN, Expert in Handwriting. New York : Banks & Brothers, 1894.